Indianisation of the Kolar Mining Companies.

*Q.—58. **Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA** (Kolar District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

Whether they are taking necessary steps to urge the Kolar Mining Companies to Indianise the mines at once?

A.—**Sri H. C. DASAPPA** (Minister for Finance and Industries).—

A.—No.

Loan from Government of India for developing Electricity in the State.

*Q.—62. **Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA** (Kolar District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) whether it is a fact that they are contemplating to take loan from the Government of India to develop electricity in the Mysore State;

(b) if so, the amount of loan?

A.—**Sri K. T. BHASHYAM** (Minister for Law and Labour).—

(a) Yes.

(b) The matter is under correspondence.

Water Supply to tanks under the Visvesvaraya Canal.

*Q.—64. **Rajamantrapravina H. B. GUNDAPPA GOWDA** (Hassan District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of tanks under the Visvesvaraya Canal which were supplied with water from Krishnarajasagara Reservoir between December 1949 and March 1950;

(b) whether they were given full supply or intermittent ones;

(c) the total *atchkat* under the tanks contemplated to be served by water;

(d) the total acreage in which crops were raised or arranged to be raised during that period?

A.—**Sri T. MARIAPPA** (Home Minister).—

(a) (5).

(b) Intermittent supply.

(c) and (d) Water was given for water supply to Factory and not for Irrigation.

Loans to Textile Mills in the State.

*Q.—65. **Rajamantrapravina H. B. GUNDAPPA GOWDA** (Hassan District—General.—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the total amount of loans advanced to textile mills in the State;

(b) the rate of interest charged and the period for which the loans were advanced;

(c) whether the mills have come to working order and whether they have begun to yield any profits;

(d) when the repayment of loans begins to take effect?

A.—**Sri H. C. DASAPPA** (Minister for Finance and Industries).—

(a) 1. Sri Ganesar Textile Mills, Ltd., Davangere—Rs. 20 lakhs.

2. Sri Shankara Textile Mills, Ltd., Davangere—Rs. 10 lakhs.

(b) 1. Sri Shankara Textile Mills, Ltd., at 4 per cent interest for a period of one year.

2. Sri Ganesar Textile Mills, Ltd. at 4 per cent interest for a period of one year.

(c) Yes. Production has started in both the Mills and some profits are being turned.

(d) The repayments had to be made on the following dates:—

Sri Shankara Textile Mills, Ltd., Rs. 3½ lakhs on 8th September 1949, Rs. 6½ lakhs on 22nd September 1949.

Sri Ganesar Taxtile Mills, Ltd., Rs. 6½ lakhs on 14th September 1949, Rs. 13½ lakhs on 18th January 1950.